

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2838  
Docket No.: 122.1203-RE

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Kouichi MATSUDA et al.

Serial No. 09/548,213

Group Art Unit: 2838

Confirmation No.

Filed: April 12, 2000

Examiner: TIBBITS, P

For: CONTROL SYSTEM FOR CHARGERGING BATTERIES AND ELECTRONIC  
APPARATUS USING SAME

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Attention: **BOX AF**

**VIA FACSIMILE**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed May 1, 2001, and having a period for response set to expire on August 1, 2001. A Petition for a three-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to November 1, 2001.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.